

The Daily Republican.

HAMSLER & MOSSER,
R. K. HAMSLER, Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Thursday Evening, Aug. 27.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGEWAY,
Of Gallatin.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Kankakee.

For Congress, 11th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
Of Douglas.

THE BOURBONS.

The Democratic state convention met at Springfield, yesterday, and, with a temerity that reminds one of the ox attacking the locomotive, nominated candidates for state treasurer and superintendent of public instruction. A certain Charles Carroll, of Gallatin county, was placed in nomination for the first named office, and the farmers candidate, Mr. Etter, endorsed for superintendent. The platform of principles adopted is substantially the same as that embraced in the call—hard money, free trade and unrestricted whisky.

We have all the while contended that the Democratic party has no sympathy with the farmer's movement, and this action of the convention prove the truth of our surmises. All the plowing which the Democrats have been doing with the farmers' hoifer has been for buncumbo, and now the mask is thrown off and the ancient party displays its raw head and bloody bones, just as it has for years past. Not a plank of its platform is in harmony with that of the farmers' tenth of June convention, and the agricultural portion of the granger ticket has been ignominiously snubbed by the men who set it up in the first instance. The endorsement of Mr. Etter, we learn, was due entirely to his presence at the convention, and his personal efforts to secure recognition. What his political status is may be inferred from the fact that he first sought the Republican nomination, then labored for and secured the farmers' nomination, and finally turned tail and mounted the Democratic mustang. He has been Republican, farmer and Democrat—inflationist, national bank hater and bullion worshipper.

What the effect of this convention will be upon the result in November can, of course, only be guessed at, but in our opinion it cannot change the main feature of the election, for at no time has the success of Messrs. Ridgeway and Powell been in the least problematical. The state will go Republican anyhow, as it would certainly have gone had the convention of yesterday not been held.

EX-MAYOR FORSTMYER authorizes us to say explicitly to the *Magnet* and *Tribune* that he intends to vote for Mr. Cannon for Congress.

That little word "calibre" seems to trouble the repose of the "consolidation." Will the editor of that sheet please inform an anxious world whether the press of this district are misrepresenting him, in stating that he confessed to a want of "calibre" in the gentleman whom he is now supporting for congress? "An open confession" may relieve the matter.

SUPPOSE the convention of the opposition to-day should adopt the Sherman platform and suppose it should then nominate the Texas-steers candidates, and suppose, finally, those candidates should be elected, whose would be the victory? What would be the victory? The counting of the ballots would determine nothing but the election of the candidates. But they are the Texas-steers candidates rather more than they can be the Opposition candidates; and therefore the Texas-steers can claim the victory as theirs rather more than the opposition can claim it as theirs. They can claim it as a victory for perpetual irredemable shinplasters rather more than the opposition can claim it as a victory for hard money and the honest payment of public debts.

And then suppose the rock-rooted machine run by Joe Ladle, Dick Richardson & Co., should meet to-morrow and reaffirm the Texas-steers platform and nominate their candidates, how would that affect the value of the victory? The hard money and revenue tariff Opposition might claim it as their victory, but so might the hill-buttressed Bourbons claim it as theirs, and so, with still more right, might the Texas-steers claim it as theirs. But whose would it be? Would it be anybody's? If so the *Times* would like to know whose it would be, and what it would signify. *Chicago Times*, 26th.

You can buy at Wessels a fine pair of Ladies' Gloves for \$1.50. Call and examine before you buy at cost. July 11, d-f.

PICKRELL'S SPEECH.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'CLOCK, P. M.
[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

The Meeting of the Clans.

How the Unwashed Run a Convention.

HARD MONEY—FREE TRADE AND "SWEI LAGER."

Gore's Court House too Much for Him.

ETTER GETS HOME AT LAST.

Choice Morsels From the Proceedings.

SPRINGFIELD, August 26.—The trains last night brought a large number of delegates and others who visit our city for the purpose of attending the "Democratic-Liberal Reform Convention," as the *State Register* calls it, which met here to-day, and the "Land" Hotel being headquarters, was filled with a motley crowd, who, in the old style, was blustering and boasting of what was to be done, and how to do it. Hesing, McCormick & Co. were the cooks of the walk, and their rooms last night were crowded with those who intended to day to bow the neck to the yoke prepared by this political confederation.

There was also a large number of old-line Democrats who swore by Jefferson and Jackson that they would not be bagged by the Hesing crew; that they would not endorse the Farmers' Convention, but that they would stick to the old organization if it took their political hide off.

The political caldron last night and this morning was a terrible stew—

"Those who were in favor of success at any sacrifice of principle or party name, were sweating and stewing. In their capacity as peace-makers they were on the alert to harmonize the discordant elements, promising everything with the supposition that they could fulfill all their promises.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his speech yesterday, led like culprits to the gallows or driven like sheep to the slaughter pen.

The various Congressional delegations were in session this morning, and the rows and scurries on disorganizers were dreadful to listen to, and those who were present as outsiders were in a maze of wonder at the confusion worse confounded that existed among the delegates. As the old sages met together in consultation, their fiery eyes and knitted brows showed that they did not, without a struggle, intend to be bound hand and foot and passed over as sold merchandise, or, as Gen. Singleton said in his

uce!

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Thursday Evening, Aug. 27.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at Twenty Cents per Week.

Local Notices will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the place where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Rain.

Gloomy.

Remember the county fair.

Nice sweet potatoes, at Imboden's.

Delightfully cool, this weather.

The street sprinkler will have a vacation for the present.

A performing bear and some pet snakes were in town yesterday.

Elder B. H. Tyler, of Frankfort, Ky., delivers a temperance address at the court house this evening.

Niedermeyer has a full line of Java and Rio Coffee.

An auction store has been opened in the vacant room formerly occupied by the American Express Co.

An entrance examination will be held at the high school Sept. 2d and 3d, commencing at 2 o'clock.

Jack & Son are selling a superior article of syrups very low.

The Pound Master will find business by taking a stroll in the western part of the city.

Temperance meeting at the Court House to-night.

How this sort of weather will make potatoes sprout.

The old street crossings at different places in our city are being repaired. That's right, let the good work go on.

The new dwelling being built by Wayne Bros., at the corner of Cerro Gordo and Franklin streets, is rapidly approaching completion and will, when finished, present a very attractive appearance.

J. Ulrich & Co. have just received a choice lot of Japan and other teas.

Wichita (Kans.) papers speak of the arrival of Capt. Harvey Mahannah and D. S. Shellabarger, in that city. Mr. S. is there looking after the interests of the mill in which he is interested, and Capt. Mahannah is prospecting for a farm, with a view to permanently locating in that region.

We understand that the entries of fine stock at our county fair, is likely to exceed in number and quality those of any previous year. There will also be fine samples of grain and fruit, for which good premiums are offered. We trust that all hands will wake up and enter something for exhibition.

Fresh-baked crackers, at E. B. Pratt & Son's.

The Teachers' Institute, at the high school, closes to-morrow with a grand examination by the county superintendent, S. P. Nickey, Esq. To determine the fitness of applicants for the responsible duties of teaching they will be examined in eleven branches, in six hours, including botany, physiology, and natural history.

The splendid rain that commenced falling soon after midnight, is probably quite general throughout this part of the State. If Providence should vouchsafe to keep the windows of heaven open for about two days, and let the water come down for that length of time as gently as it did through the night, it will be a great blessing to the dweller in these parts.

Try those fragrant perfumeries, at Armstrong's drug store.

... Isaac Shellabarger, Esq., is having a bay window placed in the south side of his residence corner of Franklin and William streets, which will greatly improve the outside appearance of the house, as well as add very much to the pleasantness of the room into which the window opens. He feels that Mr. S. is making some other improvements which will add to the general convenience of his house.

Farmer City Fair.—The agricultural and mechanical exposition at Farmer City is in full blast this week. If the rain we are having here extends to that point it will interfere somewhat with the success of the show. But while the rain may discommode and interfere with that fair, it will lay the dust and put things in fine order for our next week, proving the truth of the old adage, "It is an ill wind that brings nobody any good."

Light weight Cassimines at cost, at Race's. 2d.

Accident from Kerosene.—On last Friday night a lady at Cerro Gordo, whose name our reporter did not learn, came near burning two of her children fatally in the following manner. The coal oil in one of her lamps by some means, ran over upon the outside and took fire from the lamp flame, so that it was completely enveloped in flames. She seized the lamp and threw it out doors, and in doing so, accidentally threw it near two of her children. The oil spattered upon their clothing, and in a moment they were enveloped in flames. The children were both quite seriously burned before the fire could be extinguished, but they are now in a fair way to recover.

All-wool Business Suits from \$12 up at Race's. 2d.

Straw Hats at cost, at Race's. 15d.

Temperance Meeting To-Night.—We remind the people of the temperance address to be delivered at the Court House this evening, by Elder Tyler, of Kentucky. The reputation of the speaker as a fine orator, will doubtless secure him a full house. Let everybody go, and hear what the Rev. gentleman has to say upon the subject that is exciting so much interest in the community.

DIED.

In Buffalo, N. Y., on Wednesday morning, the 25th inst., Eddie, infant son of C. F. and E. A. Reynolds, formerly of this place.

The remains arrived in town to-day, accompanied by the parents, and will be taken to Lovington to-morrow for interment. The deceased was a grandchild of Thomas L. Archer, of this city.

2d

Try that superb Java Coffee, just received by Samuel & Co., at the Rolling Mill Grocery. 15d.

"**TOO MUCH MOTHER-IN-LAW?**"
That's What Blighted the Domestic Happiness of Mrs. Mike Clark.

That amiable creature, the traditional mother-in-law, without whom a hopeless void would exist in this delectable sphere, has been on the way path in full paint. Last evening Mrs. Clark instigated the arrest and trial of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Hogan, on a charge of disturbing the peace, by the use of profane and abusive language. It seems that in the domestic history of the two families, both of whom are next door neighbors, living in the 5th ward, a game rooster of Mrs. Hogan had prematurely ended his gladiatorial career by accidentally falling into a slop barrel belonging to Mrs. Clark. The degree of connection between Mrs. Clark and this sad event in the history of the game cock, would be difficult to determine. Nevertheless it resulted in firing the heart of the gentle mother-in-law. That lady indulged in such pleasantries as calling her daughter-in-law an "old black squaw," and intimated that she was of canine origin. Mrs. Clark did not reply. Her husband who was standing not far distant, requested her to come in the house and not listen to the abuse. The affair culminated in the arrest of Mrs. Hogan. She was tried last evening in the court of Justice Albert.

Elder B. H. Tyler, of Frankfort, Ky., delivers a temperance address at the court house this evening.

Niedermeyer has a full line of Java and Rio Coffee.

An auction store has been opened in the vacant room formerly occupied by the American Express Co.

An entrance examination will be held at the high school Sept. 2d and 3d, commencing at 2 o'clock.

Jack & Son are selling a superior article of syrups very low.

The Pound Master will find business by taking a stroll in the western part of the city.

Temperance meeting at the Court House to-night.

How this sort of weather will make potatoes sprout.

The old street crossings at different places in our city are being repaired. That's right, let the good work go on.

The new dwelling being built by Wayne Bros., at the corner of Cerro Gordo and Franklin streets, is rapidly approaching completion and will, when finished, present a very attractive appearance.

J. Ulrich & Co. have just received a choice lot of Japan and other teas.

Wichita (Kans.) papers speak of the arrival of Capt. Harvey Mahannah and D. S. Shellabarger, in that city. Mr. S. is there looking after the interests of the mill in which he is interested, and Capt. Mahannah is prospecting for a farm, with a view to permanently locating in that region.

We understand that the entries of fine stock at our county fair, is likely to exceed in number and quality those of any previous year. There will also be fine samples of grain and fruit, for which good premiums are offered. We trust that all hands will wake up and enter something for exhibition.

New Fall Hats at Theo. A. Gehrmann. 26d.

From Temporal to Spiritual.—We see by the Bloomington *Pantograph* that a conductor on the Chicago & Alton Railroad, by the name of St. John, is to leave his position on the road and enter the ministry of the M. E. Church, he having already been licensed to preach, and recommended to the annual conference. It is said that he has been a safe conductor on this road, and it is hoped that he may be also on the heavenly railway, and that he will bring all who are placed under his care safely to the termination of life's journey, without a wreck or a smash up.

Hurry up, and get round to the boot and shoe store of V. Barber & Co. before those splendid bargains they are offering are all gone. The big rush to this establishment will soon thin out their large stock of summer goods.

Linen Pants and Vests at cost at Race's. 15d.

A Just Complaint.—We hear considerable complaint about the blockading of sidewalks by crowds of men and boys wherever there is anything to attract their attention. An illustration of this annoyance occurred at the foot of the stairway leading to E. Q. Hughes' office yesterday afternoon. Some trivial law suit was about to be tried in that office, and the parties to the suit, and their respective adherents, together with the gang of loafers that hang around the police courts, completely blockaded the sidewalk at this point, so that several ladies in passing were obliged to go out into the street to go by the crowd, besides being shocked by the loud oaths and profanity of the motley crew.

Such things are by no means rare or currencies, and they should be stopped. It is coming to be a subject of remark by persons visiting out town, and gives to strangers a very bad impression in regard to the good order of our city, besides subjecting our people to great annoyance.

Straw Hats at cost, at Race's. 15d.

Temperature Meeting To-Night.—We remind the people of the temperance address to be delivered at the Court House this evening, by Elder Tyler, of Kentucky. The reputation of the speaker as a fine orator, will doubtless secure him a full house. Let everybody go, and hear what the Rev. gentleman has to say upon the subject that is exciting so much interest in the community.

DIED.

In Buffalo, N. Y., on Wednesday morning, the 25th inst., Eddie, infant son of C. F. and E. A. Reynolds, formerly of this place.

The remains arrived in town to-day, accompanied by the parents, and will be taken to Lovington to-morrow for interment. The deceased was a grandchild of Thomas L. Archer, of this city.

2d

Try that superb Java Coffee, just received by Samuel & Co., at the Rolling Mill Grocery. 15d.

FINE STOCK.

Mr. Samuel Powers' Sale Yesterday:

The sale of fine horses at the residence of Mr. Samuel Powers, yesterday, was attended by several hundred people. The handsome drive from the house to the public highway was thronged by persons passing to and fro. Approaching the residence the number of country wagons and saddle horses hitched to fences and trees strongly suggested a grand picnic. A large proportion of those present were idle spectators, attracted by the novelty of the occasion. A number of buyers were present from abroad, among whom were some New York gentlemen, representing a company in that city, who own a large stock farm and extensive stables near Indianapolis.

The sale commenced about 11 o'clock, with the bidding off of some Berkshire hogs. Luncheon was served to those present about 12 m., and the sale of horses began at half past. Twenty-seven head were sold, including colts. The prices realized were rather small. Billet colts were a favorite with buyers. The eastern men present were willing to pay fair prices for thoroughbreds. One gentleman offered to start a thoroughbred filly, by Lexington, at \$1,000, if she would be put up at auction, but Mr. Powers declined to sell her at any price. One of the gentlemen, Mr. Carter, paid \$361 for the mare "Helen Mar" and colt—one of the highest prices realized. A well-bred yearling Billet colt was bought by Mr. Samuel Jacobs, of Miami township, at \$300, a very fair figure. Mr. Frank Priest, Jr., of this city, bid at the well-known stallion "Shakespeare" at \$200—a low price and a good bargain. Darius August, one of the employees of Mr. Powers, bought a sorrel filly at \$60. He was offered \$15 for his bargain five minutes afterwards. The sale continued until 4 o'clock.

About two years since Mr. Powers had a large sale at which he disposed of his superfluous stock, and the horses sold at the present sale were those which had accumulated since that time. The aggregate amount realized was \$3,041—an average of \$12 per head. Mr. J. N. Fuller officiated as auctioneer, and J. W. Ehrman, Esq., as book-keeper. We are indebted to the courtesy of the latter gentleman for the accurate detailed statistics of the sale subjoined.

BERKSHIRE HOGS

One Berkshire sow, \$18.50

Berkshire sow, 15.00

BERKSHIRE PIGS—1ST LOT, 4 HEAD.

1st choice, \$10.25

2d " 5.50

3d " 3.50

4th " 3.00

SECOND LOT—5 HEAD.

1st choice, \$11.00

2d " 10.25

3d " 7.00

4th " 6.25

5th " 4.50

HORSES.

Shakspeare mare and colt, to A. E. White, Macon co., \$170

Gray mare to W. H. Hill, Macon co., 130

Mare and "Billet" colt, to Jas. Geddes, Macon co., 111

Kentucky mare and Billet colt, to Wm. Plank, Macon co., 111

Bay mare, old, to Jesse Greenfield, Macon co., 55

Boston Mare and colt, to John McCanna, 126

Thoroughbred bay mare, to L. Curtis, New York, 190

Billet colt, to J. Jones, Macon co., 111

Mare, "Helen Mar," and colt, to L. Curtis, New York, 361

3-year old filly, by Billet, to Edward Madden, Platt co., 125

Kentucky mare, to A. C. Willard, Macon co., 128

Billet colt, by the Windsor Mare, to S. H. Busby, Champaign, 115

Gray 2-year old filly, by Monroe, to J. N. Bills, Decatur, 56

2-year old filly, by Billet, to L. Curtis, New York, 90

Sorrel 2-year old filly, to D. August, Decatur, 60

2-year old horse, colt, by Monroe, to S. H. Busby, Champaign, 85

1-year old Shakespeare filly, to E. Madden, Platt co., 65

Shakspeare colt, out of Gray Eagle, to Tom Sterritt, Macon co., 60

2-year old Billet bay colt, from a Shakespeare mare, to Jesse Greenfield, Macon co., 91

"Shakspeare," to Frank Priest, Jr., Decatur, 200

2-year old bay stud Billet colt, to S. Jacobs, Macon co., 300

Bay mare, 5 years old, to Thomas Allinson, Macon co., 111

2-year old Shakespeare colt, to John Murphy, Macon co., 70

2-year old horse, colt, by Monroe, to S. H. Busby, Champaign, 85

1-year old Shakespeare filly, to E. Madden, Platt co., 65

Shakspeare colt, out of Gray Eagle, to Tom Sterritt, Macon co., 60

2-year old Billet bay colt, from a Shakespeare mare, to Jesse Greenfield, Macon co., 91

"Shakspeare," to Frank Priest, Jr., Decatur, 200

